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H PASS: HONORABLE DONALD M. FRASER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON DC

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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE:
DISAPPEARANCE OF MARIO GERARDO YACUB (11/77/10)

REF: BUENOS AIRES 132

1. PURSUANT TO YOUR REQUEST OF JANUARY 4, 1977, THE EMBASSY MADE A SECOND FORMAL INQUIRY ON OCTOBER 12, 1977 TO THE ARGENTINE FOREIGN OFFICE REGARDING THE DISAPPEARANCE OF DR. MARIO GERARDO YACUB. THE FOREIGN OFFICE'S WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS HAS AGAIN INFORMED US THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF ARGENTINA HAS NO RECORD OF THE DETENTION OF DR. YACUB, NOR ANY INFORMATION REGARDING HIS WHEREABOUTS.

2. THE US CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN THIS CASE HAS BEEN COMMUNICATED TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE. THIS CASE WILL CONTINUE TO BE MONITORED BY THE EMBASSY AND WE WILL CONTACT YOU REGARDING ANY FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

3. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.
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